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Latest News

EPA Glider Repeal Rule Seen As Creating Broader Risks For Vehicle Sector

An EPA proposal to scrap production caps on "glider" trucks that combine used engines with a new chassis creates an array of legal and regulatory risks for various mobile source sectors that go beyond a potential court reversal of the plan, assuming EPA finalizes it, industry and other sources say.

EPA Rejects Calls To Extend Comment Deadline On CPP Replacement Plan

EPA has rejected calls from a wide variety of states and other groups to extend the deadline for comments on its advance notice of proposed rulemaking (ANPR) outlining possible approaches to replace the Obama-era Clean Power Plan (CPP) to limit utility greenhouse gas emissions.

<u>District Judge Rejects Suit Over Trump's '2-For-1' Regulatory Reform Order</u>

A federal district judge has rejected a legal challenge to President Donald Trump's executive order (EO) directing EPA and other agencies to identify two existing rules for potential repeal in exchange for every new rule they issue, saying the plaintiffs failed to prove harm from the order -- but stopping short of dismissing the case entirely.

Utilities Cite Market Trends, Climate Risks In Resisting Trump Coal Push

Electric utilities are accelerating their move away from coal-fired power despite President Donald Trump's efforts to "save" the high-carbon fuel, and while much of the movement reflects continued cheap natural gas and less-expensive renewable energy, climate change is also a driving force.

CCS Coalition Broadens Agenda Beyond 45Q Tax Credit, Adds Members

A broad coalition of business, labor and environmental groups backing increased use of carbon capture and storage (CCS) technology is widening its focus to other policies after the enactment of long-sought tax credits for the sector -- including possible incentives to expand carbon dioxide pipelines -- while announcing expansion of its members and a new name.

Climate Beat

Document: Study finds big GHG impact from biomass residuals

The study seeks to counter pro-biomass arguments that the fuel is carbon neutral due to emissions the residuals would release through decomposition.

Loose Change: Trump EPA sees spike in FOIA requests, lawsuits

In today's news roundup: The number of Freedom of Information Act requests and subsequent lawsuits has sharply increased at EPA during the Trump era, compared with prior administrations.

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